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NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY
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The reply filed on 4/27/99 to the

- ☒ Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice)
☐ Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (Notice)

mailed on 12/14/98 has been entered into the application. The reply, however, is incomplete for the following reason(s).

- ☐ 1. The filing fee required by the Notice has not been received. The amount of \$ _____ is due.
- ☒ 2. The surcharge of \$ 120 has not been received.
- ☐ 3. The oath or declaration for this nonprovisional application has not been received.
- ☐ 4. A \$50 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).
- ☐ 5. The oath or declaration for this nonprovisional application is not executed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.64(a) because:
- ☐ a. The inventor's signature is missing.
- ☐ b. The signature is missing for inventor(s) _____
- ☐ c. The application is one filed under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43, or 1.47, and the oath or declaration is not executed by the person(s) qualified to make the oath or declaration.
- ☐ 6. The cover sheet (37 CFR 1.151(c)(1)) for this provisional application has not been received..
- ☒ 7. The reply does not include the following item(s) required by the Notice:

Claims

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent **ABANDONMENT** of the above-identified application.

The period for reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain an **EXTENSION OF TIME** under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) by filing a petition accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

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NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE APPLICATION

A filing date has NOT been assigned to the above identified application papers for the reason(s) indicated below.

All of the items noted below and a newly executed oath or declaration covering the items, unless otherwise indicated, **must** be submitted within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this Notice, or proceedings on the application will be terminated (37 CFR 1.53 (e)).

The filing date will be the date of receipt of all items required below, unless otherwise indicated. Any assertions that the items required below were submitted, or are not necessary for a filing date, must be by way of petition directed to the attention of the Office of Petitions accompanied by the \$130.00 petition fee (37 CFR 1.1 7(i)). If the petition states that the application is complete, a request for refund of the petition fee may be included in the petition.

☒ 1. The specification (description and claims):

☐ a. is missing.

☐ b. does not include a written description of the invention.

☐ c. does not include at least one claim as prescribed by 35 U.S.C. 112.

A complete specification (including at least one claim in a nonprovisional application) as prescribed by 35 U.S.C. 112 is required.

☐ 2. The application was deposited without drawings. 35 U.S.C. 113 (first sentence) requires a drawing "where necessary for the understanding of the subject matter sought to be patented."

Applicant should reconsider whether drawings are necessary under 35 U. S. C. 113 (first sentence).

☐ 3. OTHER: _____

Additional observations on the above-identified application papers:

☐ 1. Pages _____ of the specification are missing.

☐ 2. Figures _____ described in the specification are missing.

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Enclosed:

☐ "General Information Concerning Patents." See page _____

☐ "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application," Form PTO-1532.

☐ "Checklist for Patent Applications."

☐ Other: _____

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